

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of: Stephen William EASON et al. Confirmation No. 3149
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a), copies of the references cited in the FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS section on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 sheet) are enclosed. If it is determined that a copy of any of the references is missing and is required, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned so that a copy can be provided.

With regard to JP 5-204081 (A04), also enclosed herewith is corresponding US 5,320,714(A02), in English.

With regard to JP 2002-506686 (A05), also enclosed herewith is corresponding US 6,907,880 (A03), in English.

With regard to JP 4-507357 (A06), also enclosed herewith is corresponding WO 9102558 (A9), in English

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (c), “[b]efore... the mailing of a Notice of Allowance or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application....” It is believed that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement. However, Applicant is including the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), in the event that any of these references were first cited more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

It is believed that no additional fees are due for this submission. However, if it is determined that any additional fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge said deficiency to our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,
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